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Sir:

Applicant wishes to make of record the following references under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97 (legible copies of the references are enclosed).

US-924,682	US-3,773,176
US-1,107,472	US-4,151,074
US-2,106,156	US-4,543,180
US-2,226,750	US-5,082,553
US-2,453,293	US-5,290,401
US-2,990,064	US-5,490,928

Please see attached form PTO/SB/08A for a listing of the references.

It is believed no fee is due with this *Information Disclosure Statement*. If a fee is due, please charge deposit account number 08-2442.

The person making this statement is the patent attorney who signs below on the basis of the information supplied by the inventor, and as the attorney associated with the filing and prosecution of this application (37 CFR 1.56(a)).

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